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For: USE OF ATOMIC OXIDATION FOR
FABRICATING OF OXIDE-NITRIDE-
OXIDE STACK FOR FLASH MEMORY
DEVICES

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This paper is in response to the Office Action dated December 17, 2003, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendment to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.